Defense Acquisition Deskbook

USD(A&T)

Information Briefing

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Briefing Objectives

- **Deskbook Introduction**
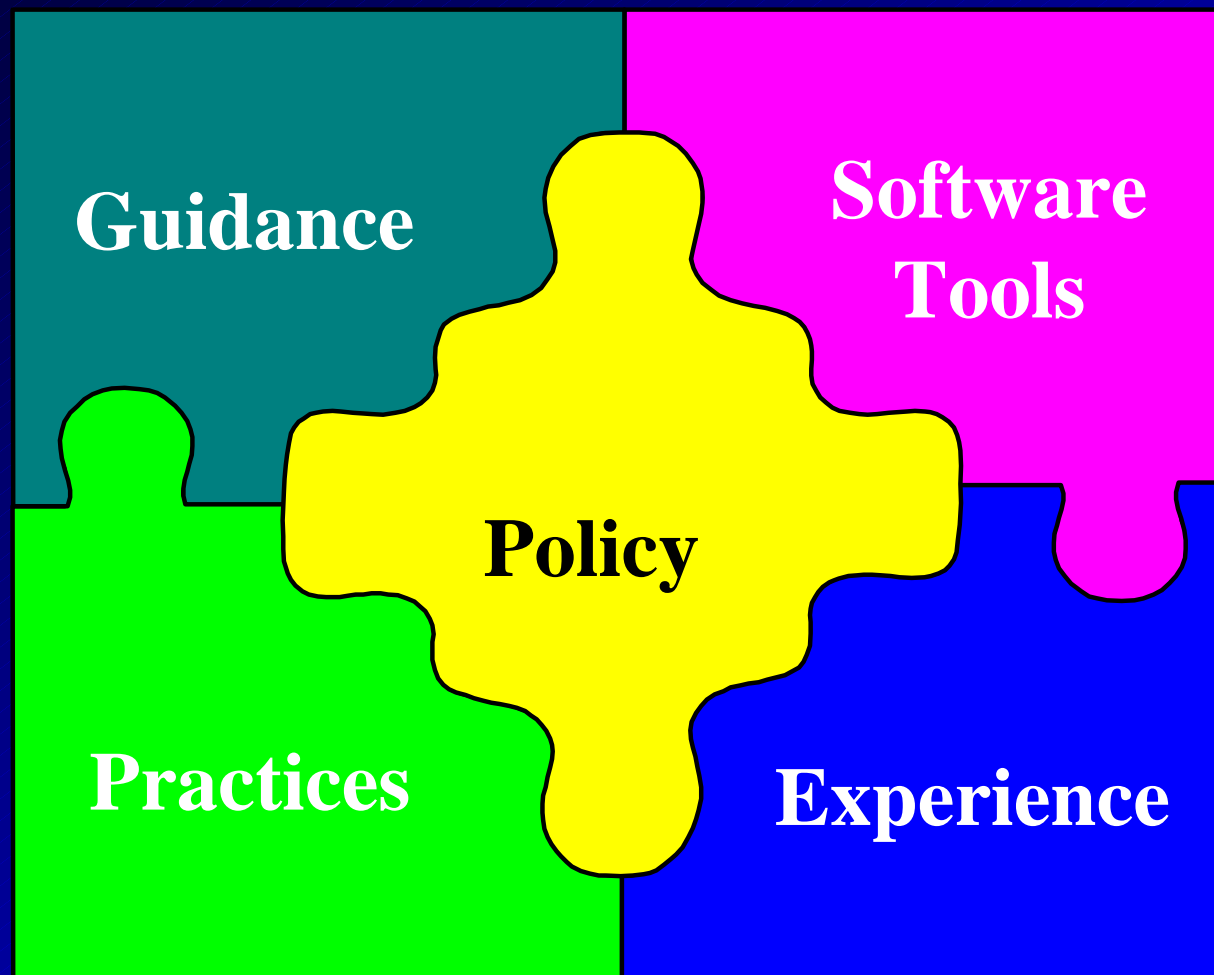
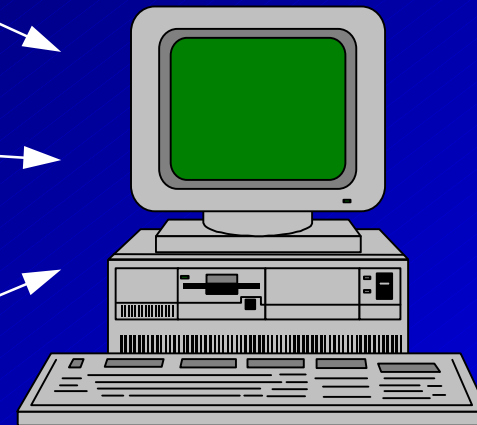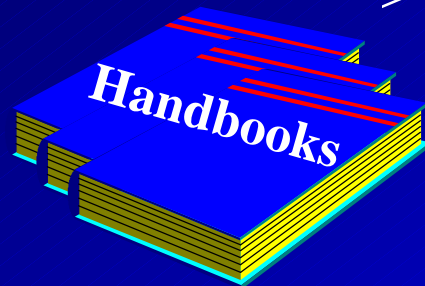- **Program Status**

- **System Demonstration**

The New Paradigm

☑ **Not all Guidance is Mandatory**

☑ **Empowerment through Insight**

☑ **Apply IPT Process to Policy Development**

☑ **Quick Access to New Policy & Changes**

☑ **Info Presentation Considers Audience**

Requirement - A Fully Integrated Information System

Guidance

Software Tools

Policy

Practices

Experience

The Deskbook Solution

Experience

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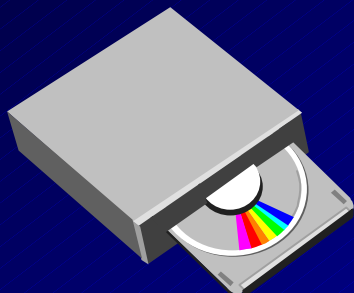
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DoD 5000

Handbooks

- Links from Acquisition Topics & Processes to Policy

- Separates Mandatory Direction from Discretionary Practices
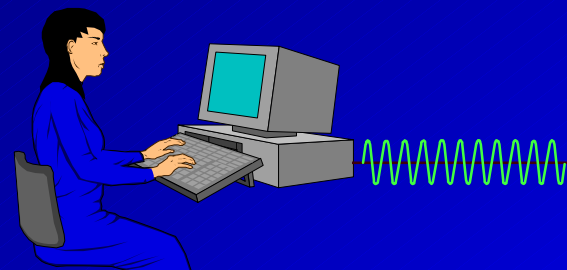
Two Related Efforts

Deskbook Information System

- Topics/Processes
- Reference Library
- Mandatory/Discretionary
- OSD, Component, Command
- Software Tools
- Front-line Wisdom

Deskbook Website

http://deskbook.osd.mil/deskbook.html

- Single Entry Point
- Links to Other WebSites
- Open Bulletin Board
- Consolidate Q&A Efforts
- Schedule of Events

Procurement Wisdom

◆ **Procurement Process PAT Result**

◆ **Advice/Lessons Learned Specific to the Procurement Community**

◆ **Integrated into the Reference Set**

◆ **DLA Contracting Officer Dedicated to this Effort -- Ms Iris Cooper**

◆ **Focal Points in Each Service/Agency Facilitate Data Collection**

DLA Key Players

♦ **Defense Acquisition Policy Steering Group (DAPSG)**

   ♦ **Mr Gary Thurber, DLA/AQ**

♦ **Defense Acquisition Policy Working Group (DAPWG)**

   ♦ **CAPT Dean Merrill, DCMC**

♦ **Procurement Wisdom Focal Point**

   ♦ **Lt Col Luc Degrate, DLA/MMP**

Deskbook Schedule

◆ **Operational Test Release**   **28 May 96**

◆ **Initial Release**   **31 July 96**

◆ **CD Update**   **30 Sep 96**

◆ **Mac Version**   **Fall**

◆ **Subsequent CD Updates**   **Quarterly**

◆ **Internet**   **End of Year**

Operational Test Release

◆ **28 May 96 - Completed**

◆ **Initial Contents:**

    ◆ **FAR, DFARS, DoD 5000.1, DoD 5000.2-R, DLAR, AFFARS**

    ◆ **DLAD 5000.4 "One Book"**

    ◆ **Information Structure**

◆ **CD ROM & FTP Distribution**

SUMMARY

◆ **Deskbook is an Iterative Development**

   ◆ **System & Processes Develop Over Time**

   ◆ **User Feedback**

◆ **Help Create A "New Way Of Doing Business"**

System Demonstration

BACKUP SLIDES

Knowledge is Power...
Share It!

➔ **Provide Your Input**

    ◆ **Lessons Learned, Wisdom, Innovative Practices, Software Tools**

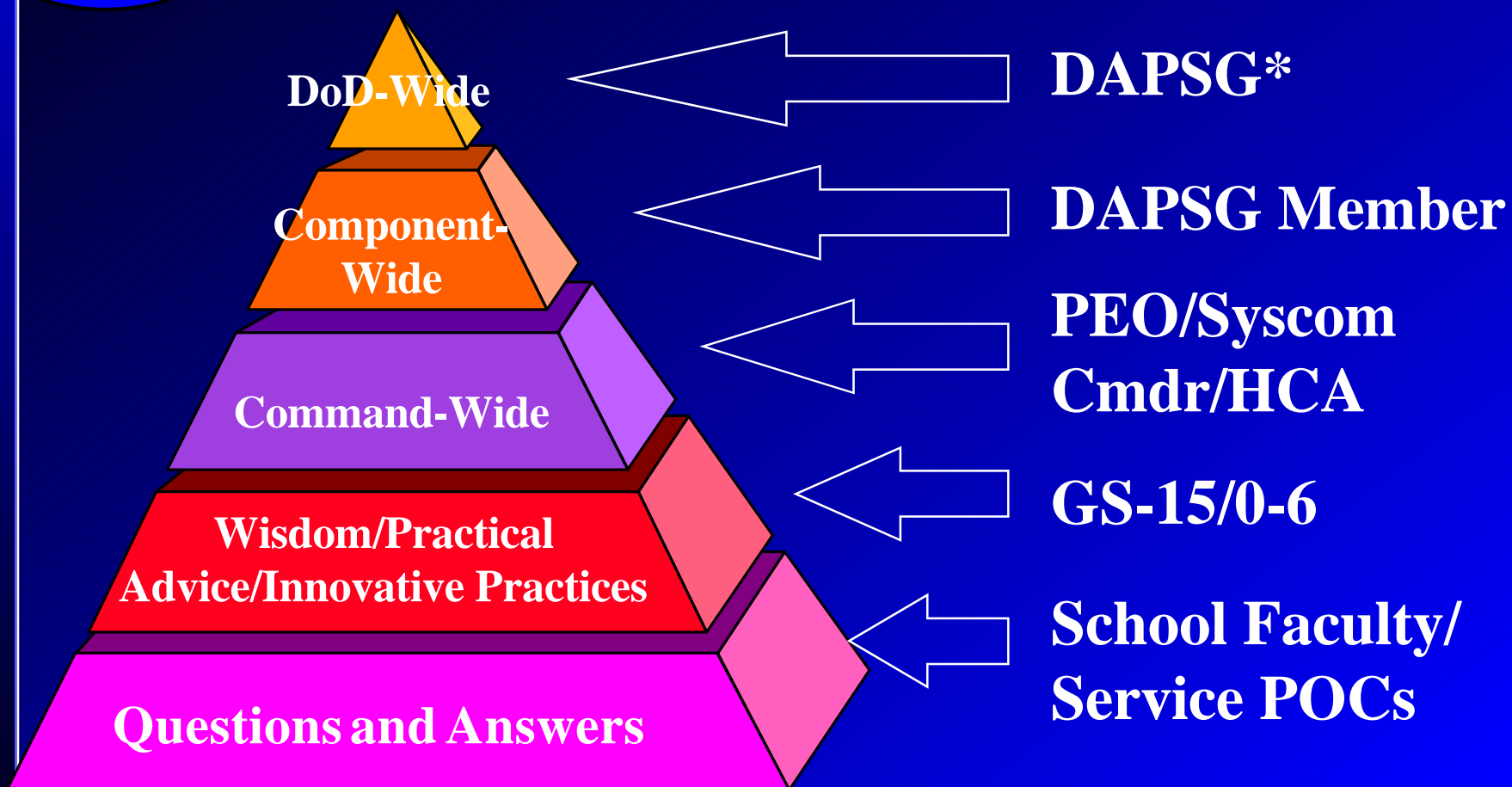➔ **Submit Your Suggestions**

    ◆ **Documents, Processes, Topics**

⬅ **Presented to Acquisition Professionals when needed**

RECOMMENDED APPROVAL LEVELS
Discretionary Practices/Formats

DoD-Wide ← DAPSG*

Component-Wide ← DAPSG Member

Command-Wide ← PEO/Syscom Cmdr/HCA

Wisdom/Practical Advice/Innovative Practices ← GS-15/0-6

Questions and Answers ← School Faculty/Service POCs

* DAPSG- Defense Acquisition Policy Steering Group